REMARKS

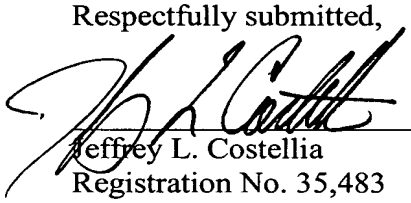
In response to the Office Action of September 14, 2004, Applicants hereby elect without traverse, Group I, claims 1-58 drawn to a semiconductor device, classified in class 257, subclass 66.

In addition, in response to Examiner's Request for Election of species Applicants hereby elect without traverse, Species 6, which relates to Figure 6, and which is also readable on claims 1-58.

Filed concurrently herewith is a *Request for a One Month Extension of Time* which extends the shortened statutory period of response to October 14, 2004. Accordingly, Applicants respectfully submit that this response is being timely filed.

Consideration and allowance of the instant application are now respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,



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